



Agency Educators

NQS Element 1.2.3 Child directed learning

Name Educator 1	
Name Educator 2	
Name Educator 3	
Name Educator 4	
Name Educator 5	

E = **Embedded** I do that **ALL** the time

K = I **know** I need to do that, but I don't do it all the time

T = Please **teach** me how to do it or improve my understanding of why I need to do it.

	ED1	ED2	ED3	ED4	ED5
Do you allow children to make choices about the curriculum and learning activities?					
Do you encourage children to make decisions eg group rules and routines?					
Do you support play experiences which children initiate?					
Do you allow children to actively participate in decision making that affects them eg making service rules?					
Do you create opportunities for children to learn from and teach others?					
Do you enthusiastically encourage children to learn new skills and knowledge?					
Do you show delight and excitement when children master new skills and learn new things?					
Can children access most materials and resources without an adult's help?					
Do you vary group routines where possible to avoid interrupting children engrossed in an activity or experience?					
Do you participate in children's imaginary play and follow their storylines and ideas?					
Do you rarely use stencils during art and craft activities?					
Do you regularly allow children to create their own individual creative masterpieces?					
Do you support children to use words from their home language?					

Actions required